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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINER GROUP 2872

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

SEIICHI KASHIWABA, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/236,339

Filed: January 25, 1999

For: OPTICAL-ELEMENT
HOLDING MECHANISM,
IMAGE-SHAKE
CORRECTING DEVICE AND
OPTICAL APPARATUS

) Examiner: T.Q. Nguyen

) Group Art Unit: 2872

) March 26, 2003

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant petitions to further extend the time for response to the Office

Action dated June 27, 2002, for an additional one month, from February 27, 2003 to March 27, 2003; a Notice of Appeal having been timely filed December 27, 2002. A check in the amount of \$110.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account

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